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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 28, 2008, please consider the following amendment and remarks. This amendment and response is being timely filed with a one (1) month extension of time, which is also enclosed.

> Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.